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SUBJ: CODEL JAMES H. SCHEUER, SCIENCE AND POPULATION

REF: (A) STATE 176487; (B) STATE 174329

1. RESERVATIONS FOR CODEL (FOUR DOUBLES, TWO SINGLES) HAVE BEEN MADE AT THE HOTEL CEYLON INTER-CONTINENTAL FOR THE NIGHTS OF AUGUST 30, 31, AND SEPTEMBER 1. EMBASSY OFFICERS WILL BRIEF CODEL IN AFTERNOON OF AUGUST 30. SCHEDULE OF APPOINTMENTS WITH APPROPRIATE GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE OFFICIALS CONCERNED WITH FAMILY PLANNING NOW IN PREPARATION AND WILL BE SENT SEPTEL. ONE OR TWO APPOINTMENTS WITH GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN AREA OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY WILL ALSO BE ARRANGED. EMBASSY CONTROL OFFICER IS FSO JOHN P. SPILLANE.

2. WHILE REFTTEL A INDICATES CODEL WILL BE TRAVELING ON TIGHT SCHEDULE, EMBASSY SUGGESTS CODEL MAY WISH TO CONSIDER ARRIVING IN COLOMBO EARLIER THAN PLANNED IN ORDER TO SEE LAST NIGHT OF KANDY PERAHERA ON AUGUST 29. WEEK-LONG KANDY PERAHERA IS THE LARGEST AND MOST FAMOUS BUDDHIST FESTIVAL, AND PARADE ON LAST NIGHT IS THREE STAR EVENT OF ELEPHANTS, DANCERS, AND BANDS. WHILE IT IS NOW TOO LATE TO MAKE HOTEL RESERVATIONS IN KANDY, THERE IS AVAILABLE PACKAGE ARRANGEMENT WHICH IN-

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CLUDES TRAVEL TO KANDY ON AIR-CONDITIONED TRAIN DEPARTING COLOMBO AT 2:30 P.M. ON THE 29TH, DINNER AT THE QUEEN'S HOTEL, AND RETURN TO COLOMBO ON AIR-CONDITIONED TRAIN AFTER THE END OF THE PERAHERA SOMETIME AROUND MIDNIGHT. TOTAL COST OF PACKAGE IS RS. 300 (APPROXIMATELY 25 US DOLLARS). IF ANY MEMBERS OF CODEL ARE INTERESTED, EMBASSY WILL BE HAPPY TO MAKE RESERVATIONS. INTERESTED MEMBERS COULD TRAVEL TO COLOMBO ON AE 212

FROM TIRUCHCHIRAPPALLI, ARRIVING HERE AT 10:55 A.M. ON MONDAY,
AUGUST 29 (THIS IS A SLOW FLIGHT ON A TURBOPROP AIRCRAFT)
OR ON SR 318 FROM BOMBAY ARRIVING COLOMBO AT 10:25 A.M. SUNDAY,
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